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AMERICANS

RUSH TOO HARD IN THEIR LABOR

Consequently They Fail to Extract
the Real Joys Out of Life.

In the January Ladies' Home Jour-
nal Edward Ross deplores the sense
of duty that has taken hold of the
American women, and emphasizes
the dangers arising from this condi-
tion of earnestness. "Take your family
life to-day," he says. "Look around
one's own family circle, look into its
life, look into the families we know,
and tell me if I am so far wrong
when I say that what our American
families need more than anything else
is more time with each other; more
drawing together; more moments of
being alone with each other; a greater
extraction of the peace and comfort
from those material surroundings
which each so earnestly strives for,
and all are too much satisfied to strive
for simply to possess, and nothing
more. We are all too much in a hur-
ry in America to allow of our know-
ing and enjoying each other; our
lives are too full with the things
which ought to be secondary and
which we have allowed to dominate
us. We are all too busy; men and
women, girls and boys—all of us.
We are not getting the rich beauties
out of life; the greatest enjoyment out
of living. Rush and haste are too
much upon us. The sweet calm of
peace and quiet is an unknown de-
light to thousands of our people. And
much of the cause, disagreeable as it
is to say it, lies with our women who
have of late allowed their lives to be-
come too full. I will not say that
they have neglected, to any alarming
degree, the fundamental duties of
wedlock and motherhood. But I do
think that the danger of doing so in the
very near future exists, in many an
instance, if things are allowed to go
on as they have gone."

Seems as if all things we like dis-
agree with us, and all the things we
don't like, agree with us. Dyspepsia
works in most of the good things we
eat and indigestion follows the grati-
fication of appetite. Of course it isn't
nature's fault. Nature does the best
it can, and if a man will only help
a little bit at the right time, he may
eat what he likes and as much as he
likes. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant
Pilllets are for people who are trou-
bled with indigestion. Particularly
for those in whom it manifests itself
in the form of constipation. The
"Pilllets are quick and easy in their
action. They are in perfect harmo-
ny with Nature. They effect a perma-
nent cure. You need take them regu-
larly only a little while. After that
use them occasionally when you need
them—when you have eaten anything
that disagrees with you. They may
be taken as freely as you would water
or any other necessity of life. Once
used they are always in favor.

THIS IS AN...

Opportunity!

In order to reduce our im-
mense stock of

Queensware,
Lamps and
Glassware

before taking invoice, we will
make you a price on each
and every article.

W. W. REED,
Hardware,
Queensware

Sterling, Ky.

Grand Opera House. Thursday * Evening

JANUARY 5th, 1899.

Special Engagement of the Distinguish-
ed and Talented Actor

Clay Clement

Presenting His Latest and Most Popular
Success,

A Southern Gentleman

With an Excellent Supporting Company
and a wealth of Magnificent Scen-
ery and Stage Effects.

A Rare Dramatic Treat.

PRICES:

Parquette and First Three Rows Dress Circle	- - \$1 00
Balance Dress Circle	- - - - 75
Gallery (Reserved)	- - - - 50
Gallery, Gen'l Admission	- - - - 35

Seats on Sale at R. C. LLOYD'S Drugstore.

Grand Opera House. Thursday * Evening

MULTI-MILLIONAIRES

That Live at the Corners of Fifth
Avenue and Fifty-Sev-
enth Street.

Multi-millionaires' Four Corners is
situated at Fifth Avenue and Fifty-
seventh street, in this city. If you
stand in the middle of the avenue you
see a multi-millionaire's house on
corner—the hub of the American mil-
lionaires' universe.

On the northwest corner is the
house of Cornelius Vanderbilt, on the
northeast corner that of Herman
Oelrichs, on the southwest corner that
of Harry Payne Whitney, and on the
southeast corner that of Collis P.
Huntington.

The total wealth of these four
households is more than \$20,000,000.
The real estate that they occupy, with-
out considering the houses at all, is
worth \$2,000,000. The estimated
value of their contents is \$10,000,000.
They are all multi-millionaires. For
neighbors they have more million-
aires.

Those who live on the four
blocks that contain multi-million-
aires' Four Corners spend more
money than any equal number of per-
sons living anywhere in the world.—
New York Journal.

What Shall We Do?

A serious and dangerous disease
prevails in this country, dangerous
because so deceptive. It comes on so
slowly yet surely that it is often frus-
trated before we are aware of it.

The name of this disease, which
may be divided into three stages, is,
First, Kidney trouble, indicated by
pain in the back, rheumatism, lumbago,
frequent desire to urinate, often
with a burning sensation, the flow
of urine being copious or scant with
strong odor.

If allowed to advance, this reaches
the Second Stage, or Bladder trouble,
with heavy pain in the abdomen low
down between the naval and the wa-
ster passage, increasing desire to urinate,
with a scalding sensation in
passing, small quantities being passed
with difficulty, sometimes necessary
to draw it with instruments. If uric
acid or gravel has formed, it will
prove dangerous to neglect it.

The Third stage is Bright's Disease.
There is comfort in knowing that
Dr. Kilmer, the great kidney and
bladder specialist, has discovered a
remedy famous for its marvelous
cures of the most distressing cases,
and known as Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-
Root.

It is sold by all druggists.
As a proof of the wonderful virtues
of this great discovery, Swamp-Root,
a sample bottle and a book of valu-
able information will be sent abso-
lutely free by mail on application to
Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.
When writing kindly mention that
you read this liberal offer in THE MT.
STERLING ADVOCATE.

Hateful Wretch.

She—There is nothing I enjoy
more than singing.
He—Oh! I had the idea that you
more enjoyed listening to yourself
sing.

TRUST RAISES PRICES.

Print Cloths Made a Big Jump
At Chicago.

Print cloths, the principal staple of
the dry-goods trade, are in a highly
excited condition, and have advanced
2 1/2 in four or five weeks—a normal
rise for the goods. In November
was 1 15 10c a yard. Thursday
the quotation was 2 1/2, with strong
probabilities in the midst of the trade
of reaching 3 1/2 within a short time.
The advance is largely the result of a
trust agreement made between the
manufacturers.

A Spaniard Stabbed.

A Spaniard at Havana who was
commanded to shoot "Viva Cuba
Libre," refused and was fatally stab-
bed by a Cuban mob. The American
patrol has made thirty arrests of
rioters.

Pickled Pigs Feet at 5c a pound at
A. Baum & Son's.

GREAT 20 Per Cent

Discount Sales!

FOR FOUR WEEKS
ONLY, ENDING

JANUARY 21st, 1899.

Our bargains will be put on sale
in each window for a few days only.
They will be strictly set prices.

This discount will make nails 2c a
pound, 4 quart coffee pots 5c, 6 quart
covered buckets 5c, 2 quart covered
buckets 5c. Everything on our 10c
counters goes for 8c and our 5c goods
goes at 4c, etc.

Toys, Toys and Holiday Goods.
The price will be cut to one-half. All
\$5.00 goods for \$2.50; all \$1.00 goods
at 50c; and all 50c goods at 25c.

We have received our full line of
wall paper for the spring trade and
this will be your time to lay in your
spring supply.

Every sale for the Cash only. We
expect to make a change in our busi-
ness, so the first comes gets the
choice, for we will not buy any new
goods. Call at once.

Enoch's Bargain House,

WEST MAIN STREET,
Mt. Sterling.

Star Planing Mill Co.,

Manufacturers and Dealers
in All Kinds of
Rough and Dressed Lumber, Doors, Sash,
Blinds, Stairways, Verandas.

Also manufacturers and sole agents
of the BEST CHURN ever made.



It makes
a greater
quantity
of nice
butter
than any
CHURN
made and
in less
time.

We can churn sweet or sour
cream in from one to five minutes.
It will pay for itself in six months.
Call and see them.

Star Planing Mill Company,
MT. STERLING, - - - KENTUCKY

MT. STERLING Coal Co.

Cor. Maysville and Locust Sts.,

DEALERS IN

Anthracite, Cannel, Blacksmith,
Virginia and Kentucky Coals.

HAY, CORN AND OATS.

A. H. JUDY, - Manager.

Accounts due first day of every
month.

ADVOCATE PUBLISHING CO.

Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1899.

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TERMS ANNOUNCEMENT.

For County Office \$ 5
For District " 10

Cash must accompany order.
No announcement inserted until paid for.

We are authorized to announce John B. Cheneau, of Madison county, as candidate for State Auditor, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

I am a candidate for re-election as Railroad Commissioner from the Third Kentucky District, subject to the action of the Republican party. I have my claims upon life-long adherence to the principles of my party, loyalty to all its nominees, years of earnest effort for its success, and faithful and conscientious performance of my official duties.

Respectfully,
JOHN C. WOOD.

BANK STATEMENT.

The Mt. Sterling National Bank publishes its statement in this issue. As usual it makes a good showing, and is evidence of careful and economical management. Mr. Pierce Winn, aided by his board of directors because of caution, economy and industry, has maintained for this institution the confidence of the people.

INTERESTING LETTERS.

With this issue we begin to print the letters of Miss Fannie B. Hinds, of our city who a few months ago started for Corea under the auspices of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Board of the M. E. Church, South. We are sure that these letters will be very interesting and will also awaken increased interest in mission work. Her many friends, if they are subscribers for the ADVOCATE, will hear from her frequently. These letters alone will be worth the price of the paper. We can not say how often these letters will appear.

THE BLACK DIAMOND.

On Friday Col. Charles Tutt an advocate for the road went to Owingsville to address the citizens in behalf of this great enterprise, a branch of which may be built to Owingsville en route to the coal fields of Morgan. Some people are quite confident the great Black Diamond system will be built. An unsuccessful effort was made to enlist the people of this county. They did not approve of the methods proposed, so the promoters surveyed a line a few miles west of us and announced that Mt. Sterling would be passed by. From time to time reports have gone out that the enterprise will succeed and that satisfactory progress is being made in arranging for so gigantic an undertaking. If our business men can be assured that the road will be built, believe that they will liberally support it by subscription. We advise them to consider the prospects for securing for our city this extensive trunk line.

FARMERS.

In view of the fact a tobacco combination has been formed for the purpose of controlling the tobacco market, making the raw material to bring as little as possible, to keep the laboring man's nose to the grindstone, it is important that ever grower becomes a member of the proposed organization and through it take such determined steps as will protect their interests. If the growers are united they can break the back of the enormous combine. Will they do it? A decided step must be taken now.

TOBACCO GROWERS LEAGUE—ATTENTION TO BACCO GROWERS.

It will be remembered that the Convention of Tobacco growers held at Lexington early in December decided to organize a Tobacco Growers League in each county in the State where tobacco is grown in order that the farmers by the proper combination of effort might resist the effort of the trust to put down the prices of the crop. Mr. Claude M. Thomas, of Bourbon county who was appointed by the convention as State Organizer to organize the branch leagues in each county will be in Mt. Sterling on next Saturday the 7th inst., and the tobacco growers of the county are requested to meet at the Court House at one o'clock P. M. on that day, at which time the Montgomery county Tobacco Growers League will be organized. This is a matter of the greatest importance to the tobacco interest and every grower and farmer in the county should make it a point to be in attendance at the time mentioned. Remember the date next Saturday, January 7th at one o'clock P. M. at the Court House.

THE OLD AND THE NEW.

Eighteen hundred and ninety-eight is of the past. What it has been cannot be helped now. Some have advanced in knowledge in favor and prosperity; others have allowed the good things, the ennobling to pass them, and to-day are far worse than when the year was new. Life is largely what we make it. What shall we do for ourselves in 1899? What are the resolutions? With the experience of the past the better prepared we are for the future. Young women, who you have so great an influence; examine your lives, have they been for the improvement of those about you? Let this thought haunt you, be your meditations by day and night. You can do good, the effort should be now, for before the close of 1899 you may fall into your grave and enter on the great unknown empty handed. Young man, who are you? What are you doing? Are you of worth to the world? Your family standing, your money or your much learning do not make the man. It is the use of acquirement, the manner you conduct yourselves. Idlers, drunkards and society men are of no consequence. Think now young man. The middle aged, the old man or woman must hasten if they would be of importance in this busy age. With each succeeding day someone goes to his long home; they are going fast, and many of these, the greater number, pass away leaving behind them not one word of worth. The preachers stand over the dead and vainly attempt words of praise, the editor takes up a column or so, but they are only mentioning less harsh words to the ones who have known them best. Is this you? Press forward; be better women and men, live noble lives, attain to something that the world may be better by your short stay on the earth.

JUSTICE.

In another column it will be seen that a thirty year old negro assaulted a little child of seven years, left in his care. This demon deed aroused the blacks and whites, as well, and they went out on the hunt of him, determined that he should pay for the crime with his life. What we have said before we repeat now. Such a brute does not deserve to live. Death in its most torturing form is inadequate to the crime. Enforce the law speedily and to its limit is the only remedy for such dastardly crimes. May the officers bring this wretch before the courts and his life be at the end of a rope.

THE BATTLE SHIP OHIO.

Work Has Commenced on the Largest and Fastest Vessel Ever Built on the Pacific Coast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 31.—Work on the battle ship Ohio has been commenced at the Union Iron works. The Ohio will be the largest ship ever built on the coast and one of the three largest ever built in the American navy. She will have a displacement of 13,500 tons and her dimensions will be as follows:

Length, 285 feet; breadth, 77 feet 3 inches; draught, 26 feet 9 inches.

The new battle ship will be 30 feet longer than the Wisconsin and 40 feet longer than the Oregon. She will have a greater displacement than the Wisconsin by 1,000 tons and 2,000 tons more than the Oregon. The Ohio's contract speed is two knots faster than the Wisconsin and three knots faster than the Oregon.

Middleman Accidentally Shot and Killed. PAPA, Ill., Dec. 31.—Earl Kerring, of Company O, Springfield, Ill., was shot and killed Friday while on guard duty in East Pass. During a storm heavy rain, a bullet fired for protection from the rain. He stumbled over the coal and as he fell his gun dropped and was discharged. The ball passed through his heart.

Shot Dead. PAPA, Ill., Dec. 31.—The 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Souers, of 23 North Williams street, died from the effects of swallowing about one-half ounce of oreosets from a vial which she found on a table.

Schenectady makes 450 locomotives annually.

Bob Black Shoots Dump Cheneau.

On yesterday afternoon Bob Black and Dump Cheneau, both colored, quarreled on East Main Street in front of Howe & Johnson's grocery. We gathered the following: Dump Cheneau was under the influence of liquor. He had previously threatened to kill Black and on yesterday attempted to cut him with a knife, whereupon Black fired with a 38 calibre pistol, the ball entered Cheneau's front, passing through the liver and breaking a rib.

He was taken to the office of Drs. Drake and Thompson where attention was given by these gentlemen and Dr. C. B. Downing. He is regarded as fatally wounded. Black was arrested and will be tried on Wednesday.

Disolution.

On February 1st, the firm of T. M. Green & Co., of Grassy Creek, by mutual consent, will be dissolved and Mr. T. M. Green will retire. This requires an immediate settlement of all outstanding accounts, and we hereby give our friends notice. In the meantime we will sell at greatly reduced prices and strictly for cash.

No firm in the State will be able to sell closer than we will. Our stock is complete in every department and it will be our pleasure to give our friends the benefit of the reduction sale. Of course those who come first will get first choice of the stock. We are thankful to a generous public for their patronage, and by honorable dealing hope to continue in their favor.

Very Respectfully,
25-5t T. M. GREEN & Co.

Announcements.

The registers for the county teachers are now on hands and each teacher will please call and get one. I also desire to ask the teachers to be more careful than formerly in preparing their reports. It is an untold amount of trouble for one to make a report to the State Superintendent from what I received as reports last year. Henceforth I cannot accept them unless each statement receives attention. The School Law says "old days can not be made up by teaching on Saturday."

MARY G. ANDERSON,
County Superintendent.

Good-bye.

Rev. A. J. Arrick preached his farewell sermon to an appreciative congregation Sunday evening. It was appropriate to the occasion. Mr. Arrick and his wife will leave for their new home the last of the week. Time will not efface from memory the good accomplished by these devoted christian workers. We shall be ever mindful of them and the prayers and best-wishes of all christian people will follow them.

NEWS IN KENTUCKY.

THE TOWN MARSHAL SHOT.

Deputy Sheriff George Cole Made a Merciless Assault on A. W. Hopper and His Clerk at Barboursville.

BARBOURVILLE, Ky., Jan. 2.—Saturday night about 9 o'clock Deputy Sheriff George Cole went into the store of A. W. Hopper, of this place, and engaged in a quarrel with Mr. Hopper and his clerk, Charles Wilson. Mr. Hopper, after ordering Cole to leave the store, stepped out somewhere himself, when Cole undertook to search Clerk Wilson, saying he had a right to, while he held a revolver in his hands. Town Marshal Roach, who was present at the time, alighted between the two and attempted to take the weapon from Cole, when Cole fired and shot Roach, the ball piercing the abdomen and coming out over his right hip. The weapon was a 45-caliber Colt's revolver. Physicians were summoned and Roach removed to his home. The physician states the wound will prove fatal. Cole is being closely guarded.

Col. McGrath Dying.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 2.—Col. Ed. V. McGrath, deputy warden of the Frankfort penitentiary, one of the most widely known and most popular politicians in the state, was about to die Friday night at the home of Warden Lillard of Bright's disease. He was delicate and gradually sinking. Col. McGrath is a native of Harrison county, but lived in Lexington and Newport for several years.

Mr. Miller Jacob's Successor.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 2.—George W. Morris, president of the Louisville Gas Co., will succeed the late Charles D. Jacob as president of the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Kentucky. Morris has been vice president of the company for 25 years. He has been president of the gas company for nearly 30 years. Dolpho Mead, head of the Speed Iron works, will become president of the gas company.

Fire at Lexington.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 2.—Fire Saturday morning partially destroyed the Kitzinger block and damaged the auditorium and Lexington business college buildings. Estimated loss about \$50,000, covered by insurance. Stocks, F. F. Taylor, furniture, R. A. Allen, furniture, L. H. Ramsey & Co., paints, burned. Fire started by a defective fuse.

Head for Murder.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Jan. 2.—Pud Terrill, who killed Wayne Smith, was held over by county judge Taylor Friday afternoon, after an examining trial, under bond of \$1,500. The killing took place in Johnson's saloon at Main and Federalia streets, where Terrill is employed as barkeeper.

Death of Mrs. J. E. Goldsborough.

LACROSSE, Ky., Jan. 2.—Mrs. Laura Goldsborough, wife of J. E. Goldsborough, died here Sunday morning. She was 68 years of age. The deceased was a daughter of the late Col. W. P. Thomasson, who represented this district in congress from 1843 to 1847. She is also a cousin to Hon. John Hay, secretary of state.

Grassmole Bites Up.

OLYMPIA, Ky., Jan. 2.—At noon the boiler of the gristmill owned by E. D. Swartz exploded, throwing the boiler 200 feet. Swartz was putting water in the boiler, and fireman Frank Jackson was standing by his side. The mill was a total wreck, but both men escaped with slight injuries.

Killer Acquitted.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Jan. 2.—The examining trial of James Armitage, charged with killing James Bedson, his cousin, near Olympia Springs, December 27, came up before Judge John A. Ramsey for trial and he was acquitted on the evidence of the commonwealth.

Killed While Hunting.

PAPA, Ky., Jan. 2.—While hunting near Walsh's distillery Sunday morning, Thomas Ward, aged 15, was killed by the accidental discharge of his gun. Ward was endeavoring to dislodge a rabbit by poking the butt of his gun in a culvert.

An Undertaker's Ill Luck.

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 2.—Frank P. Taylor, the well-known undertaker of this city, who Saturday lost his establishment on Main street by fire, fell on the ice Saturday night and broke his right arm.

His Injuries Were Fatal.

ALBUQUERQUE, Ky., Jan. 2.—Joe Coughlin, C. & O. agent at South Higginsport, who was thrown from a buggy Thursday, died Saturday morning at the Smith house, having never regained consciousness.

Fire at Harrods.

ROBERTS, Ky., Jan. 2.—The Burns-Sheriff Co.'s general store, at Harrods, seven miles south of this place, was totally destroyed by fire. Loss about \$10,000. Fully insured.

Heavy Loss at Leitchfield.

On last Tuesday morning a big fire occurred at Leitchfield, entailing a loss estimated at about \$85,000. The burned district covered the west side and a large part of the north and south sides of the public square.

PIANOS and ORGANS!

Pianos:

Conover,
Schubert,
Kingsbury.



Organs:

Chicago
Cottage,
Crescent,
Golden,
Chimes.

Honest Goods!
Fair Prices!

F. W. H. Peckham,

BROADWAY,
Mt. Sterling, Kentucky.

MT. STERLING NATIONAL BANK.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DEC. 31, 1898

RESOURCES.	LIABILITIES.
Loans and discounts.....\$ 75,345.48	Capital Stock.....\$ 50,000.00
Overdrafts.....435.00	Surplus.....12,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....25,000.00	Undivided Profits.....2,500.00
Other U. S. Bonds.....60,000.00	Circulation.....15,000.00
Premium on Bonds.....2,100.00	Due to Banks.....1,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds.....12,000.00	Individual Deposits.....25,000.00
Real Estate, Furniture & Fixtures.....7,000.00	
Due from Banks.....18,534.44	
Internal Revenue Stamps on Hand.....100.00	
1 Per cent. Redemption Fund.....1,125.00	
Cash.....18,993.74	
Total.....\$115,944.70	Total.....\$115,944.70

Disposed of as follows:
Four Per cent. Dividend.....\$ 2,000.00
Expense Account.....\$ 1,597.48
Placed to credit Undivided Profits.....1,400.00
Extra dividend of 10 per cent. this day declared out of the undivided profits and placed to credit of stockholders.
F. W. H. PECKHAM, Cashier.

Trimbles a Winner.

South Trimble, Franklin county's present representative was re-nominated over Capi W. E. Thompson on last Wednesday. Nineteen out of the twenty-three precincts gave Trimble 1,181 and Thompson 666. Trimble carried the city by 71 and every precinct in the county. His majority was 650.

The re-election of Trimble, which is assured by a majority larger than that by which he was unopposed, means a rocky road in the next Legislature for the Bronson prison reform law and the commissioners who were selected to put it into execution. As is well known all over the State, Trimble led the fight for the law before the last House under promise of the Warden of the State penitentiary, but the commissioners refused to give him, taking the ground that the place to which he aspired had been created at that legislative session, and that under the law, no legislator could accept it.

Mr. Trimble is a nephew of J. G. Trimble of this city.

Clay Clement, the young actor who has been making rapid strides into the esteem of the public, not only an actor, but as a playwright as well, and is not unknown in the South, has been booked for a tour of the southern cities in December, when he will present his own romantic drama, "A Southern Gentleman," the scenes of which are laid in Louisiana and South Carolina; and "The New Dominion," the scenes of which are laid in Virginia. At the Grand Opera House, Jan. 5th.

Farm For Sale.

The farm now occupied by Mrs. Emma B. Dean, one mile from the Court House on the Winchester pike. Good brick house, 6 rooms, 2 halls, kitchen, 2 cellars, all necessary out-buildings; 35 acres, all fertile and in good condition. All lays well enough to sell for town lots, and has advantages of being outside city limits—no city tax. Will sell all or part in payments to suit purchaser. Apply to—
22-4t DR. E. K. DEAN.

The Mt. Sterling Floral Company request your orders for cut flowers.
24-3t

Christmas Is Over

But we are in business to sell goods, and are going to sell them if good quality and close prices are what you want. We have them and we continue our prices for a week on Rugs and anything else. Just think a large size Moquette Rugs at \$2.75; second size, \$1.75, and everything else at same rate. A beautiful line of Bed Room Suits, Chairs, Tables, and everything in this line.

UNDERTAKING A SPECIALTY.

Sutton & Harris,
Fizer Building, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

PUBLIC SALE!

On Saturday Morning, January 7, at 9:30 o'clock at my home on the dirt road west of Bruce Young's farm, two miles from Mt. Sterling, I will sell—
Two 4-yr. old work mules.
Two milch cow and calf.
Eight pigs and four sheeps.
Two horses.
One hundred stacks of fodder.
Two stacks timothy hay.
Various farming implements, household and kitchen furniture.
Terms made known on day of sale.
24-2t JNO. L. CHAYCRAFT

Secure.

We are informed that on Saturday there was not a dressed turkey on the market. One ancient rooster found.

For sale—A milch cow and new mare.
24-3t TRIMBLE

SALUTES FIRED FROM HEAVY GUNS.

gray gloves and they carried machete

20-11 J. G. TRIMBLE.

See the advertisement of E. E. Peck
who offers a farm for sale.

In "New York," she goes there quite

it	25 cents per gallon at A. Baum
te	Son's. 24-2

Strong, steady nerves
Are needed for success
Everywhere. Nerves
Depend simply, solely,
Upon the blood.
Pure, rich, nourishing
Blood feeds the nerves
And makes them strong.
The great nerve tonic is
Hood's Sarsaparilla,
Because it makes
The blood rich and
Pure, giving it power
To feed the nerves.
Hood's Sarsaparilla
Cures nervousness,
Dyspepsia, rheumatism,
Catarrh, scrofula,
And all forms of
Impure blood.

Ready for duty; ready for action;
Ready to do or to die.

What a grand old world this would
be if every one loved some other soul
more than self.

Funeral designs and decorations
furnished on short notice by the Mt.
Sterling Floral Co. 22-1f

Outside bought a big farm near
Lexington, and a goat farm and a
cheese factory are to be established.

**DR. CALDWELL'S
SYRUP OF PEPsin**
CURES CONSTIPATION.
Three colored men were shot in a
fight at the "Stamping Ground,"
Scott county, Wednesday. One will
die.

To cure a cold in one day take
Lexative Bromo Quinine Tablets. No
cure, no pay. For sale by all drug-
gists. 7-25t

The citizen's committee of Loui-
sville, is urging Col. John B. Castle-
man's appointment as Brigadier Gen-
eral.

Duty commands and experience
teaches; and no one is equipped for a
useful life unless he has both a com-
mander and a teacher.

There was a \$11,000 fire in the busi-
ness portion of Lexington Tuesday
night. L. P. Milward, stove, and
John Hutchinson, groceries, were the
victims.

William F. Stead, of London, is
urging the Christian Endeavor soci-
ety of the United States to take an in-
terest in the proposed world's peace
conference.

Analyze self. Take each fault sep-
arately, dispel that before attempting
fault number two. We cannot do
complex problems until we master the
simpler ones.

Dr. Wm. Rothwell, professor of
moral philosophy in William Jewell
College, died in Liberty, Mo.,
on last Wednesday. The deceased
was born in Garrard county, Ky.

"What's the matter, Tom? You
haven't been truthful for three days!"
"Well, the truth is, Rodgers gave
us such a good dinner on Tuesday
that I ate without thinking, and
since then I have been thinking with-
out eating."

The New York Store at Bowling
Green has made an assignment. It
was the largest dry goods concern in
Southern Kentucky. Liabilities \$25,
000. The bustling house, of New
York, who started out a few years
ago with nothing, and is now very
wealthy was caught for \$7,000. House
did a cash business once.

A sample of the benefits already ac-
cruing to Cuba from the approaching
end of Spanish sovereignty, is the
Havana street railway. Though
there are but twenty-five miles of
track, and the equipment is of the
poorest, the struggle between English,
Canadian and American would-be
purchasers has raised the offer for
the \$1,600,000 of capital stock in the
past sixty days from 85 cents to
\$1.25.

America's great patriots were men
of humility. When an expert in
genealogy tried to convince Abraham
Lincoln that he was of distinguished
descent, the President listened with an
amused attention, but when the said
expert offered to devise a suitable coat
of arms and asked Mr. Lincoln what
design he would prefer, he responded,
"How would a pair of shirt sleeves
do? Most of my ancestors died by
their work with their coats off."

A Child's Love.
We have read a touching incident
about three little children, who, last
autumn, late in the season, wandered
alone in a dreary region of New
Brunswick.
"The night came on fast, and feeling
sure that they could not get home be-
fore daybreak, the eldest (a girl of
only six years) quietly placed the two
little ones in a sheltered nook on the
seashore, and, fearing that the cold
chill might for the younger children,
Mary stripped off most of her warm
clothes to keep them warm. She
then started off to gather dry seaweed
and whatever else she could find to
cover them with. Having tenderly in
this way tried for some time to
make them a nest, she at last fell
down exhausted with the cold and
half bare to the cold, ice-cold night.
That night the loving father and
tender mother sat up wondering at
their children's long absence. In vain
the fond parents' eyes pierced the
darkness. At length they aroused
the neighbors with their anxious in-
quiries after their lost ones. All that
night was spent in searching and in
tears, till early in the morning, lying
fast asleep, and somewhat numbed
with cold, we found Johnny and
Lizzie. But oh! a touching spectacle
lay near them; their young saviour
was stiff, cold and dead on the sea-
weed which the poor little child had
holed had not strength to drag into the
nook where those so deeply loved
and died to save, were sleeping.

Does not this recall the love of the
Lord Jesus Christ to us, who laid
down his life, not only for those he
loved, but for his enemies also. Yet
how many listen to this story with no
more emotion and interest than they
do to the cross where the love of Je-
sus, the Son of God, is told in letters
of blood. Oh, children, be wise by
giving yourselves to Jesus who died
for you.—Crown of Glory.

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Merks stable, which includes Joe
Patchen 2.01 and Split Silt 2.06.
Henry Tilt will take up No. 2
2.08 in February, and Binig 2.06
will go into his stable after a brief
season in the stud.

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been made in the Kentucky Futurity
for foals of 1898. The number of
mares originally nominated was 702.

Dr. W. Boncher, of San Jose, Cal.,
says that Miss Logan was \$10,000 for
him this year. He will campaign
her through the Grand Circuit next
season.

The Gray Electioneer stallion, Con-
ductor 2.14, now 11 years old, has
been sold at different times for \$4,125,
\$7,000, \$8,100, \$700 and \$850 respec-
tively.

It is said in the future Palo Alto
Farm will develop speed for the sale
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only those horses which it will reserve
for breeding purposes.

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been several times reported. He has,
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Jas. Coddington writes from Lin-
coln, Ill., that his famous pacing mare,
Pearl C., 2.06, after a rest this season,
will be campaigned again next year.
She was never in finer physical con-
dition than at present.

Natwood sold the dams of 23 in
the 2.15 list, with four in the 2.10
list; George Wilkes 23, with 7 in the
2.10 list; Blue Bull 18, with 5 in the
2.10 list; and Mambrino Patchen 17,
with four in the 2.10 list.

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Wilkes have sired 108 trotters, and
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boy."

His sweet little face wore a thought-
ful expression, as he looked down up-
on his plate, and said:
"Then I'll know my bones over-
again."

The Democrats of Owen county,
have called a primary for the first
Saturday in March to nominate a leg-
islative candidate.

Preferring One Another.
In China it is customary when
speaking to disparage everything be-
longing to one's self and to magnify
everything belonging to the person
addressed. More than any other
people, the Chinese obey the precept:
"Is honor preferring one another."
When two men meet, the conversa-
tion is about as follows:
"What is your noble name?"
"My worthless name is Li."
"Where is your splendid mansion?"
"My mean bit is in the next prov-
ince."
"What is your exalted longevity?"
"My miserable years number only
sixty-eight."
"Is the distinguished lady still liv-
ing?"
"The addle-pated person of the in-
ner apartments is still alive."
"How many precious have you?"
"Two stupid little cubs."
"Are the princes doing well at
school?"
"The contemptible puppies have
learned a few characters."
How much of this is formal and how
much is sincere it is not for a stranger
to say.—A. McLean, in "A Circuit of
the Globe."

HORSE AND TRACK.
John S. Bratton won \$9,405 this fall
with his high steppers at four horse
shows.
C. W. Williams has put over 200 in
the list.

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SUNDAY TRAINS—WEST.
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Lv. St. Louis, C. & E. Depot. 10:00
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Lv. New York, C. & E. Depot. 10:00

**Louisville & Nashville
R. R.**
(KENTUCKY CENTRAL DIV.)
Schedule in effect Jan. 25, 1899.

South Bound.
No. 1 N. & N. A.
Lv. Louisville 7:00 a.m. 7:00 p.m.
Lv. Lexington 7:30 a.m. 7:30 p.m.
Lv. Frankfort 8:00 a.m. 8:00 p.m.
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THE B. & O. SOUTHWESTERN.

Provisionary Steps Taken for the Road's Absorption into the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Under the New Plan.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 2.—The preliminary steps for the reorganization of the B. & O. S. W. railway preparatory for its absorption into the Baltimore & Ohio railroad under the new plan of reorganization were taken in the state superior court Saturday before Judge R. B. Smith. J. M. Warrington and other attorneys for the Mercantile Trust Co., of New York, filed a suit against the Baltimore & Ohio Southwestern railroad for \$800,000, due on a loan made last October of \$800,000 at 5 per cent. interest. Through Judge Harmon, as counsel for the railroad company, judgment was at once confessed. The Mercantile Trust Co. held as collateral \$1,600,000 in first mortgage bonds, \$38,000 in Marietta branch bonds, \$261,000 in Baltimore & Ohio bonds. The trust company alleged that it demanded payment for this loan and was refused before bringing suit. As soon as the necessary arrangements can be made another suit will be brought in the United States court, and the receivers will be appointed by that court. The attorneys for the trust company and the railroad company both attempted to get the case into the United States court immediately after the decree of judgment confessed was entered in the state court, but Judge Thompson, of the United States court, could not give them a hearing until late Saturday afternoon, when it is expected that the proceedings will be completed.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Funeral services over the late Senator Justin S. Morrill, of Vermont, were held in the United States senate chamber, across the street, Saturday. They were conducted with impressive dignity in the presence of a distinguished assemblage, including the president and vice president of the United States, members of the cabinet, justices of the supreme court, senators and representatives in congress, the speaker of the house and representatives of the army, navy and of the diplomatic corps, as well as a countless number of citizens, who took this means of testifying the affectionate regard in which Mr. Morrill was universally held.

Early in the day the remains were borne from the family residence on Massachusetts avenue to the capitol. There was no service at the house, and the funeral cortege to the capitol was simple and formal. Arriving there the casket was carried direct to the senate chamber and deposited in the semi-circular area immediately in front of the presiding officer's desk. The casket was of rich but simple design, with black broadcloth covering and heavy oxidized silver handles and silver plate on top with the inscription:

JUSTIN SMITH MORRILL, 1810-1898.

After the willing hands of senate employees, who had so long served the senator in life, had arranged the multitude of flowers which had been sent, the lid of the casket was removed, disclosing the calm and peaceful face of the dead statesman. In the repose of death the features still showed a rugged strength and firmness. The arms were folded across the breast and the eyes looked upward vacantly. Banked high on the lower part of the casket, all about it and covering the desk up to the presiding officer's desk, was a profusion of plants, flowers, floral emblems, palms and garlands of garish leaves.

From the white house conservatory came an exquisite wreath from President and Mrs. McKinley, of pale pink and purple orchids, dark brown garlands of North Carolina, and long wisps of palm. Altogether there was an exquisite and dignified scene seldom seen even in the senate.

The chamber itself bore eloquent testimony to its escape and floral decorations to the life-long service of the Vermont senator within its walls.

By 11 o'clock the public galleries were filled to overflowing with crowds who had braved a driving rain. Exactly at noon the ceremony began. Vice President Hobart, accompanied by Speaker Reed, taking seats at a presiding officer's desk, while the president, cabinet, supreme justices, senators and representatives entered unannounced. The scene was one of profound solemnity as the president and distinguished officials entered the chamber, with bowed heads and eyes turned toward the pallid, upturned face of the dead senator. Mr. McKinley walked with Secretary Taft, proceeding up the aisle to a large leather chair facing the casket and immediately alongside of it. The large assemblage on the floor and in the galleries arose and remained standing until the presidential party was seated. Ranged back of the president and his cabinet were the honorary committee of senators and representatives, most of them white-haired and venerable associates of Mr. Morrill. They were white with mourning bands from shoulders to hips. Chief Justice Fuller and Justices Brown and McKenna were with the large representation of senators and representatives filling the body of the chamber.

After the ceremonies, which were simple, were over, the casket was allowed to remain in the senate chamber, where it was left until borne to the train Sunday morning, en route to Montpelier, Vt.

Right in It.

That's where Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is. The greatest remedy for the stomach that was ever put together. Absolutely vegetable with the exception of the Pepsin. Are you constipated? Then try Syrup Pepsin. Have you indigestion or sick headache? Then use Syrup Pepsin. Spend 10c for a trial bottle and you will be convinced. Large sizes 50c and \$1.00. A true family remedy. It

THE SICK.

A wee Skidmore, of Bowen, Ky., has fever.

Mrs. W. J. Bollin is sick of la grippe.

Mr. James W. Ratliff continues quite ill.

Mrs. N. H. Trimble has had grip since Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Ratliff was on the sick list last week.

Miss Kate Forest has been sick for a few days at the home of Rev. H. D. Clark.

Miss Anna Hodgson, who has been quite sick for the past week is very much improved.

Miss Alice Chensault, of Georgetown, who came to spend the holidays with the family of Mrs. Cynthia Reed has been sick since her arrival.

Rev. Edward Stubbfield returned from Clinton on Friday and is confined to his room at Rev. W. J. Bollin's with grippe.

We are real glad to see our friend James D. Tipton out after a spell with the grippe.

Little Eliza Nunneley, who has been quite sick, is very much improved.

Portraits of Kentucky's Governors.

A handsome portrait of Gov. Beriah Magoffin, who served as chief executive of the State from September 1859 to September, 1862, was received at the Executive department at Frankfort last Saturday and was placed in the gallery of former Governors collected by Governor Bradley. The portrait is presented to the State by Mr. Samuel J. Shackelford, wife of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals, who is a grand-daughter of Gov. Magoffin. The portraits of all but ten of the former governors are now hanging in the executive office, and Gov. Bradley hopes to get all of these before his term expires.

Youngest Express Agents.

Saturday, Dec. 24, the Express Office in this city was completely filled with business. The regular force was doubled, yet the business was more than they could tend to promptly. Misses Ledema and Lillian Wood, twin sisters and daughters of the agent, were given a number of packages to be delivered in and around the city. They placed them in a buggy, drove the horse, delivered each and every package and returned to the office with the proper receipt. In fact, did the business as well as the oldest and most experienced agent could have done. Inasmuch as little Ledema and Lillian are only eight years old, and being the youngest agents in Kentucky, we insist that the Superintendent of the Adams Express Company should make them a substantial recognition in the way of a handsome present.

Primery Election.

The Democrats of Mercer county, will on February 25 have a primary election to nominate a candidate for the Legislature. If by January 31 only one candidate has announced, he will be declared the nominee on February 1.

It is said that in sentiment, atmosphere, character drawing, dialect and wit that goes to make a story truly the Southland, Mr. Clay Clement in his "New Dominion," and also in his play, "A Southern Gentleman," has succeeded far beyond any of the plays of the past. At the Grand Opera House, Jan. 5th.

The Cincinnati Florida and Havana Limited.

Fast vestibuled train service from Cincinnati via Queen & Crescent Route and its connecting lines to Jacksonville, St. Augustine, Miami, Tampa, connecting with fast steamer ships to Havana, Key West, Nassau, Santiago and Porto Rico.

Round trip tickets to Havana at reduced rates (including meals and berth on steamer), on sale via the Queen & Crescent Route by ticket agents all lines north.

Particulars to you free by addressing W. C. Richardson, Gen. Pass. Agent, Cincinnati, O. 25-26

For Rent

That handsome business room now occupied by R. C. Lloyd, this city, Apply to T. F. Rogers.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SPOUT SPRINGS.

"A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year" to the readers of the ADVOCATE.

James F. McKinney has had some thing like a gripper for the past six weeks. He is some better.

W. J. Christopher at this place has his new store nearly completed and will move in his stock of goods the first of January.

Mr. Austin Lowrey and wife, of Montgomery county, spent Christmas with the latter's parents, W. J. Christopher, at this place.

Mr. Editor, you must excuse me for not writing often, for I have been in very poor health for three months past. Am hardly able to get about now.

Santa Claus appeared at the Spout Springs school house Christmas Eve. All present had a fine time. There were many fine presents on the tree ranging from a tin horn to a gold watch.

Married, last Wednesday, at the home of the bride, Miss Mamie Hudson to Mr. Abb Vivian, both of Snow Creek. May their path down the journey of life ever be strewn with roses and well cemented, and crowned with abundant success, is the wish of the writer.

The following officers were elected at meeting of Euclid Lodge, No. 469, F. and A. M., December 27, at this place: J. W. Barnett, W. M.; Morgan McKinney, S. V.; Asa Todd, J. W.; Dillard McKinney, Treas.; W. E. Hedin, Sec'y; T. S. McKinney, Tyler.

The following is a list of old folks that have died in this neighborhood this year, their ages ranging from 50 to 80 years: Nathan Crow, Bain Crow, Billie Martin, Smith Vivion, John See, Isaac Mills, Billie Lewis, Balle McLoche, Aunt Polle Vaughn, Polle Russell, Betsey Barnett, Mariah Charles and Wash Colter.

Your correspondent had an invitation to eat turkey dinner with Dock Niblack Wednesday. Among those present were: Willis Niblack, Milt Hudson, Aunt Kittie Barnett, L. E. Hedin and wife, James Woods and wife, John Gravett and wife, W. E. Hedin and wife, Abb Vivion and wife, and Herbert Hedin. Mr. and Mrs. Niblack spared no pains in preparing a splendid dinner, which was heartily enjoyed by all.

GRASSY LICK.

Corn is selling in field at \$1.30 to \$1.50 per bu.

John Peggs bought of O. F. Morris 12 cattle shorn at 3 cts., average 100 lbs.

Lyman & Green shipped to Cincinnati a car load of cattle last week that cost 24 to 30 cts.

The second quarterly meeting will be held at Grassy Lick church on next Saturday and Sunday.

Lyman & Green shipped a double deck car load of hogs to Baltimore last week that cost 2.50 to 3 cts.

The firm of T. M. Green & Co. has been dissolved and the business will be conducted by Wm. B. Green. Cincinnati prices will be duplicated at Grassy Lick.

The Christmas tree for the benefit of the Sunday school at Grassy Lick church was a success and enjoyed by everybody. Watson Gay makes a good Santa Claus.

On last Tuesday evening Presley Mallory of color went to the home of Louis Mason also colored and committed rape upon a little colored girl six years old while the family was away from home. Dr. A. H. Robbins was called in and says it was the most outrageous crime ever committed in this section. The brute made his escape and has not been caught. He should be looked up and punished severely.

For Sale!

Having moved to Lexington and expecting to make said place my permanent home, I offer for sale upon reasonable terms my handsome and commodious residence, situated on the Lexington pike, just one mile from the Court House and just outside the city limits. There are three acres of ground, good outbuildings and well watered. I desire also to sell my lot of land on same pike and containing six and one-half acres of land; on said lot is a good water and a barn worth \$1,000.

J. C. RICHARDSON.

BUSINESS HOUSES DAMAGED.

Supposed Incendiaryism.

On Wednesday morning about two o'clock the fire alarm called out many people from home, and the Court house where a hop was being enjoyed. Fire was discovered in three places in the second story of the P. McNamara business house on Mayville St., used as a saloon by Robt. Proffitt. This building was not insured. The second story and considerable of the first story is a wreck. The saloon fixtures and stock were insured for \$800 each, on which \$1,000 has been allowed. The loss on building was heavy. The fire spread to the two story building belonging two and occupied by Walter Harper for a saloon. His house and stock were insured. On Wednesday his loss on building was adjusted at \$1,041. His loss on stock was \$350. The weather was very disagreeable on account of the cold and the firemen worked under great disadvantages.

Prisoners Liberated.

King Humbert, of Italy, has signed a decree amnestying or duling the punishments of the rioters who took part in the disturbances last spring. About 700 persons were sentenced by court-martial and about 2,000 who were condemned by the civil courts have been liberated.

Do Not Stop Me.

Yes, I have delayed it too long. I should have sent to John Feehan, the tinner, who does all kinds of plumbing guttering, etc. I remember that all accounts were due Jan. 1st. He has mine ready and I will go at once and pay him. Everybody should pay promptly.

Not Guilty.

Before Judge W. C. Taylor, of Frenchburg, U. S. Marshal Press Jackson was acquitted for the recent killing of an illicit distiller named Awkrit.

Bankruptcy Lawyer.

I will make a specialty of Bankruptcy practice before A. T. Wood Referee for the District composed of Montgomery, Bath, Menefee & Rowan counties. I am prepared to attend to such matters at once.

H. B. Woods,

Attorney at Law,

Tyler Apperson Building,

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Discouraging.

The Madrid Government considers that the prospects for the release of the Spanish prisoners in the Philippine Islands very discouraging.

Golden Rule.

This celebrated second grade flour at \$1.75 per 100 pounds is sold only by A. Baum & Son. 24-25

Silly Man.

At Chicago on Friday a man jumped from the roof of a six story building into the river to settle a wager.

Private Conrad, First Territorial regiment, died at the St. Joseph Hospital at Lexington, on Thursday night.

A fresh supply of Java Blend Coffee has been received by A. Baum & Son. It goes for 12 1/2c and is the best in the market for the money. 24-25

The northern blizzard has reached us. Keep warm by eating juicy roasts and steaks bought from C. F. Keese.

A fire, supposed to have been of incendiary origin, destroyed a stable at Patchen on Friday and fifteen horses and mules were burned.

WANTED!

Live Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, Old Hens and Roosters, and Eggs, for which we will pay the highest market cash price.

SULLIVAN & TOOEY,

18-St West Locust Street,

Suburban Residence For Sale,

With good outbuildings and four and half acres of land, all to first-class condition.

RICHARD STOWER,

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Wanted!

To buy life policies applied and unapplied—any kind. Will pay cash. Call on me at my office, Traders' Deposit Bank building.

24-25

HENRY WATSON,

Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Grubbs & Hazelrigg.

Reduction in Cloaks.

Every wrap in this house will now be offered for less than COST. We do not want to carry a single one over, and will not if cutting the life out of the price will avail anything. We expect to lose money on every Wrap sold from now on. Do you want one?

New Umbrellas.

Have come to Hand. Don't you need one? Artistic hand made effects add to Umbrella beauty. The extensiveness of the assortment is only equalled by the worthlessness of the Umbrellas and the little prices. Couldn't bring such exquisite and novel designs within the reach of prudent buyers before. Able to now only by placing large orders. Yours to benefit.

Dress Goods.

RARE VALUES.

We have placed on the "marked-down" list many excellent values in order to reduce the stock. Like the Cloaks we will not carry them over, and have marked them to make them go. They are not shoddy stuff, but real bargains at the prices marked.

Blanket Goodness.

We take care that only good wools, inodorous wools, get in to the blankets we sell. Comfort demands that they shall be fluffy warm and pleasant to both smell and touch! Of course, all blankets are not all-wool, but whatever the kind or quality, you can rely on our statements in reference thereto.

Grubbs & Hazelrigg.

AT NEW YEARS

the hearts of those who are busy with their New Year's baking, or who use our high grade Coal for heating purposes. King coal is the king we always keep—that is King of the heap—King over all other bituminous or anthracite coal; in other words, the best that the mines produce. Better lay in a supply; there's going to be a rise in price.

WANTED!

50 Barrels of good sound

CORN,

gathered last fall.

JNO. T. WOODFORD.

